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## बोली-पूर्व बैठक का कार्यवृत्त - आरबीआई के अधिकारियों के लिए मूल्यांकन उपकरण विकसित करने और डीसीडब्ल्यू आयोजित करने के लिए प्रस्ताव हेतु अनुरोध (आरएफपी)

#### ई-निविदा क्रमांक: - RBI/CAB PUNE/Estate/4/24-25/ET/514

उपरोक्त बैठक 04 नवंबर, 2024 को सुबह 11.00 बजे कृषि बैंकिंग महाविद्यालय, पुणे (सीएबी) में वेबएक्स प्लेटफॉर्म के माध्यम से हाइब्रिड मोड में आयोजित की गई थी। बैठक की अध्यक्षता श्री शुभब्रत अग्रवाल, महाप्रबंधक और संकाय सदस्य, आरबीआई, सीएबी ने की।

#### 2. (a) बैठक में भाग लेने वाले बैंक के अधिकारियों की सूची: -

क्रम संख्या	नाम	पदनाम
1	कैप्टन शुभब्रत अग्रवाल	महाप्रबंधक और संकाय सदस्य, आरबीआई, सीएबी
2	श्री सौगत चक्रवर्ती	उप महाप्रबंधक और संकाय सदस्य, आरबीआई, सीएबी
3	श्रीमती पूजा शर्मा	सहायक महाप्रबंधक, अकादिमक विभाग, आरबीआई, सीएबी
4	श्री चैतन्य श्रीश्रीमाल	सहायक, आरबीआई, सीएबी

### (b) कंपनी/व्यक्तियों/फर्मों/ठेकेदारों के प्रतिनिधियों की सूची:-

क्रम संख्या	इकाई का नाम	प्रतिनिधि का नाम
1	मैसर्स बीवाईएलडी	श्री आनंद दीवान, श्री धनंजय नदलाई, श्री अल्तमश, श्री दीपक अयप्पा
2	मैसर्स ईवाई	श्री इवान क्वाड्रास, सुश्री मोइत्रेयी, सुश्री विद्या, श्री तरूण चांदना
3	मैसर्स एचआर एनेक्सी	श्री हर्षित दानी, सुश्री अंजू गुप्ता, सुश्री फ्रोनिया, सुश्री लीना दास



4	मेसर्स नमनएचआर	सुश्री तोरल गाला
5	मैसर्स प्रगति लीडरशिप	श्री हृषिकेश मुले, सुश्री राधिका भसीन, श्री कुणाल
6	मैसर्स राइट मैनेजमेंट इंडिया	सुश्री एंद्रिला पॉल, श्री दीपक वर्मा, सुश्री श्रुति तिवारी

- 3. बैठक के प्रारंभ में, सहायक महाप्रबंधक, अकादिमक विभाग ने प्रतिभागियों का स्वागत किया और प्रतिभागियों से अपने संदेह/प्रश्न अध्यक्ष के समक्ष रखने का अनुरोध किया। ईमेल के माध्यम से प्राप्त और बैठक के दौरान ऑफ़लाइन और ऑनलाइन उपस्थित प्रतिभागियों द्वारा उठाए गए प्रश्नों को कैप्टन शुभब्रत अग्रवाल और श्री सौगत चक्रवर्ती द्वारा संबोधित किया गया।
- 4. बैठक के दौरान उठाए गए प्रश्न और उनके स्पष्टीकरण इस प्रकार हैं:

क्रम संख्या	उठाए गए प्रश्न	प्रदान किया गया स्पष्टीकरण
1.	Page 1, Clause 7 –  Earnest Money Deposit (EMD)/ Bid security - Are MSMEs exempted from EMD in this RFP?	Yes, MSMEs are exempted provided proof of Udyam Registration is furnished. Performance Guarantee to be given if selected.
2.	<ul> <li>Page 3, Clause 3.1 –</li> <li>a. Will all Grade B officers be treated as one level? Are there difference of levels/role complexities within Grade B?</li> <li>b. "The Bank, through internal processes, has modelled a set of differentiating behavioural competencies that deliver superior performance at different target roles" - Assumption to be confirmed - The competency framework is detailed with definitions and applicable proficiency levels.</li> <li>c. Kindly elaborate this need. We understand that BEI is one of the</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>a. Yes. For the purposes of DCW, all the Grade 'B' Officers are treated as being at the same level.</li> <li>b. The assumption is confirmed. The Bank has defined certain competencies for different levels of officers. The list of the applicable competencies will be provided to the consultant for designing the course / selecting tools based on these competencies. The list of competencies will however be shared only with the selected party after the bid.</li> <li>c. Yes, the understanding is correct. BEI is one of the tools to be used in DCW. The selected party will develop a questionnaire which will be used as an aid by the internal Assessors. The questions may be created based on</li> </ul>



DCW and the reports created would have observations from BEI.

- assessment. BEI should be taken as an input and not an output.
- d. Are BEIs to be scheduled post DCW? Please confirm if it be conducted by the internal assessors only or along with Consultant?
- d. BEI is a part of DCW and will be conducted by assessors (internal and external) individually. However, the consultant may be required to be with the internal assessor for handholding during their first DCW, in case required.
- e. When you say a detailed report on the identified competencies of the officers, would this be competency modelling or competency mapping process?
- e. Neither of these. The tender participants are requested to be guided by para 3.1 (c) of the RFP document.

# Page 8, Clause 13.2 Commercial Bid

- a. We understand each DCW requires 3 Assessors for 3 days and assessor to participants ratio is 1:3 for 12 DCWs. Thus, the calculation of variable cost would be for 108 Assessor days (3\*3\*12). Kindly confirm the understanding as the RFP outlines the cost to be calculated is for 36 Assessor days.
- a. It is presumed that each DCW would require three (3) man days (of assessors). In a year, it is expected that twelve (12) DC Workshops would be held. Hence, the cost is to be given for 36 assessor days in the variable cost.
- b. Assumption to be confirmed These assessors are in addition to
  internal assessors from the Bank
  and will be required for all the DCW
  to be held during the given period
  and not only during initial period for
  hand-holding the internal assessors
- b. Yes, the assessors in all the 12 DCWs will be a mix of internal assessors and assessor/s from the selected agency. The number of internal assessors in each DCW is not fixed. It is possible that there might not be any internal assessors for a particular DCW. The selected agency will be notified regarding number of assessors required for the DCW well in advance.
- How many days would the handholding of each assessor be? In the document it states a minimum of 8 days.
- c. There will be around 30 internal assessors who will be trained in two batches of around 15 each for a minimum of 04 days, making it to 08 days minimum. The handholding will be done for each internal assessor for their first DCW of 03 days. Training of assessors and handholding different are two requirements.



	d. Request you to please explain all the line items mentioned in the point.	d. Travel cost of assessors shall be borne by the agency. Stay and lodging arrangements will be made by the Bank.  Generally, one to two DCWs may be conducted in a month and all DCWs will be conducted in classroom (physical mode) format.
4.	Page 16, Form II: General Information In form II, the term Firm/Company refers to?	It refers to the name of the bidder which could be Firm/Company/Consultant/Agency etc.
5.	Page 20, Section V: Scope of Work  a. What would be the location / cities of these 12 DCWs be?  b. When you say "Each exercise used in the DC design shall have been validated for manifestation of the required behaviours in the competencies to be tested", what is the definition of validated? Do we need to conduct this on a sample size, then what is the required sampling, type of validity required - construct / criterion?  c. When you say "Separate cases need to designed for administrating different tools", what do you mean by separate cases?	<ul> <li>a. The location could be anywhere in India, though most likely the DCWs would be held at CAB, Pune.</li> <li>b. No, sample size is not relevant here. The customised tools / similar tools suggested by the Consultant are expected to have been administered by them in other DCWs and from that experience the agency can decide if these tools are workable for the Bank. Bank will not provide any sampling; the validation must be to maintain internal consistency of the tools.</li> <li>c. Case studies is one type of the tools to be used. In-basket exercise is another. Each case study must be designed in such a manner that separate set of competencies can be observed by the assessors while administering that case study. Cases must be different for assessing each competency. Consultant will be provided with the information on the behavioural competencies required to be assessed and the required tools/case studies must be designed accordingly.</li> <li>d. Yes, internal consistency test would suffice.</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>d. When you say "The instruments should be of proven validity and reliability", what type of reliability are you looking for? We can only do internal consistency.</li> <li>e. When you say "The tools used should have multiple variants so</li> </ul>	e. Yes, the numbers as mentioned in clause D are applicable.



- that the DC's should not have repetitive content", how many variants for which tools? Is the number listed above in clause D, the same?
- f. When you ask a consultant to prepare a DCW handbook for internal use, is this the same as "A Development Centre Training Manual, Design of DC Training Handbook"?
- g. "Acceptance of the DCW framework and the tools designed". Acceptance would mean how many iterations back and forth? Any closure timeline available?
- Request you to please explain all the line items mentioned in Scope of Work.

- f. Neither of these. DCW handbook is to be used by the internal assessors to understand which behavioural competencies they are looking at from a particular tool in progress. It is a compendium of cases and tools that are going to be used along with the BIs and intended inferences.
- g. After the contract is allotted, the design should be closed within two months, of which majority of the tools should be delivered in the first month. Where Bank's extensive inputs are required by the consultants to design some specific tools, more than a month's time may be taken within the overall deadline of 60 days. No iterations are required for acceptance of the tool.
- h. Detailed project plan to be submitted by the Agency incorporating the scope of work for approval. The Bank will be designing the Development Centre as per inputs received from the Agency.

Day-wise tools will be planned to cover three days in consultation with Agency. The Agency will be provided with the details of the behavioural competencies desired for the officers to be assessed.

The assessors for the first 12 DCWs may be a mix of the internal assessors from RBI as well as the consultant's assessors. The Internal assessors will be provided with an initial training by the agency for four days

The ratio of assessors to assesses would be 1:3 for the first 12 DCWs. This could be a mix of internal as well as external assessors, depending upon the availability of internal assessors and number of assesses. The number of internal assessors in each DCW therefore is not fixed. The selected agency will be notified regarding number of assessors required for the upcoming DCW well in advance (at least 15 days before the programme).

Each of the three variations of the in-basket exercise will have ten different cases. These are to be designed as per the work profile of



		the officers of RBI, which will be explained during the post-selection discussions.
		There should be ten leader-less exercises and ten leader-led group exercises.
		Agency is expected to provide with a draft questionnaire that will help the internal assessors to understand what type of questions to be asked for each competency/task during BEI. A report template which may be a simple excel file, having details such as name of participant, name of tool, name of competency, and specific observations, which the assessors can record, will have to be developed for use in the BEI.
		Three Management Games apart from the leader-less/ leader-led exercises will have to be developed. These could be three different case-studies testing decision making ability of the participants under different situations.
		Three role-plays may be designed involving the peer-group, subordinates or senior management.
		Bank will identify a team of internal officers to whom the selected consultant will have to explain in detail the whole matrix envisaged for conducting the DCW.
		Assessors will provide a debriefing on personal development plan on a one-to-one basis to the participants of DCWs.
		The Bank has not specified any psychometric tests, however consultant can suggest additional tools if desired, later, but not include them in the bidding. If the Bank accepts such suggestions, payment will be made for the additional costs and the Bank will be free to purchase such tools from other vendors/consultants also.
6.	Page 24, Special Note towards Transaction Fee	RBI does not charge any fees for this process. MSTC platform may charge some
υ.	What is the Transaction Fee we are referring to?	transaction/ other fees, which is to be borne by the Agency.
7.	Page 29, Annex II – Technical Evaluation Matrix – Consultant's	



# relevant experience in conducting ADCs for its clients (in years)

- a. What proof is required as evidence?
- b. In case if multiple ADC are done with same client but with different level of employees and against different contracts, can we consider those ADC count or only one entity will be considered? / Do multiple ADC projects executed for the same client under different POs will be considered as 1 project or as many as the number of POs executed? We would like to get clarity as to the count requested under this parameter is for different projects or clients?
- c. Will training sessions related to use of Assessments tools or usage assessments during Training sessions count in S.No. 3?

- a. In case of Government Agencies/ PSUs PO will be required. In case of Private Agencies in addition to PO, TDS certificate will also be required. Additional documents may be called for in case some clarity is required.
- b. The count requested under this parameter is for different clients and **not** different contracts with the same client.

c. No these sessions will not be counted.

# Page 30, Annex III - Format for supplying information for the purpose of technical evaluation

- a. Details of ACs / DCs conducted during April 01, 2023 to May 31, 2024. We understand the details of ADCs to be provided is for the period of April 01, 2021 to current date. Kindly confirm.
- b. Some of our Trainers/Facilitators are not employees, they work as Consultant/Associate with us, please confirm if we can include their profiles as a part of the proposal.
- c. Experience of assessors we are calculating the overall experience of the assessors, Is that right? Also, we have some assessors on roles while the others are consultants, does that impact the technical scores for the consultant?

- a. No. The details are to be provided for the duration specified in the row numbers 3, 4 and 5 of Annex III i.e. for the years 2021-22, 2022-23 and April 2023 to May 2024.
- b. Such profiles can be a part of the proposal; however, terms of the engagement are to be clearly mentioned. Contract with such consultants should be submitted clearly stipulating the duration of engagement, nature of services etc.
- c. Average experience of assessors to be mentioned i.e. total experience divided by number of assessors. Assessors on roles and on contract, both can be mentioned.

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Page 31, Annex IV - Commercial / Financial Quotation for Consultant

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INR 35 Lacs is just an indicative amount for the bid, we can submit the commercial proposal which could be different, is that correct?

Yes, INR 35 lakh is just an estimation. Agency may bid depending on its cost estimates.

5. कृपया ध्यान दें कि यदि निविदा दस्तावेज़ और शुद्धिपत्र के बीच कोई विरोधाभास है, तो शुद्धिपत्र ही मान्य होगा। इसके अलावा, यह एक एकल-चरण दो-भाग वाली बोली प्रणाली है जहां तकनीकी और वाणिज्यिक बोलियां अलग-अलग जमा करनी होती हैं। यदि उन्हें एक साथ प्रस्तुत किया जाता है, तो उसे सीधे खारिज कर दिया जाएगा।
6. बोली दस्तावेज़ के बाकी नियम, शर्तें और विशिष्टताएँ अपरिवर्तित रहेंगी। बोलियाँ प्रस्तुत करना बोली दस्तावेज़ और स्पष्टीकरण के अनुरूप माना जाएगा। बैंक भविष्य में किसी भी बोलीदाता/ठेकेदार से किसी भी अतिरिक्त प्रश्न/स्पष्टीकरण पर विचार करने के लिए बाध्य नहीं होगा।

मुख्य महाप्रबंधक और प्रधानाचार्य, कृषि बैंकिंग महाविद्यालय, पुणे