



**MEGHALAYA BUILDING & OTHER
CONSTRUCTION WORKERS' WELFARE BOARD
GOVT. OF MEGHALAYA**

EXPRESSION OF INTEREST (EOI)

FOR

EMPANELMENT OF TRAINING PROVIDERS

FOR

**SKILL DEVELOPMENT OF THE REGISTERED CONSTRUCTION
WORKERS OF THE MEGHALAYA BUILDING AND OTHER
CONSTRUCTION WORKERS' WELFARE BOARD AND THEIR
DEPENDENTS IN VARIOUS DISTRICTS OF MEGHALAYA**

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Expression of Interest (EOI) Notice for Engaging Empaneled Training Partners for 10 Days RPL of registered construction workers and their dependents.

The bids are invited for engaging empaneled training partners for RPL to the registered construction workers and their dependents. The bids are to be submitted by the Training Providers dealing in RPL, only through e-tendering.

The Bidder can submit their EOI bids documents only on <https://meghalavatenders.gov.in/nicgep/> as per the dates mentioned in the key dates:

Summary of Key Dates: -

S. No.	Department Stage	Bidder's Stage	Start date & time	Last date & time
1.	Publication of EOI	Document Download & Last Date of Submission	01-03-2024	07-03-2024 upto 05:00PM
2.	Pre-Bid Queries Only through e-mail: mbocwwb-meg@gov.in	To Understand the broad scope of project	01-03-2024	03-03-2024 upto 05:00PM
3.	Technical Opening		08-03-2024 02:00PM	
4.	EOI Processing Fees	Rs.10,000/-	To Be Submitted Online	

The EOI documents can be downloaded from the Procurement website <https://meghalavatenders.gov.in/nicgep/> before 07/03/2024 up to 05:00 PM in addition to online bid submission only as per the instructions given in the EOI documents.

The address for all above activities is: -

Office of the Secretary, Meghalaya Building and Other Construction Workers Welfare Board
Lower Lachumiere, Shillong - 793001, Meghalaya

Tel.: 0364 2501224, e-mail: mbocwwb-meg@gov.in

PART-A

1.1 Introduction of the Meghalaya Building & Other Construction Workers' Welfare Board (MBOCWWB):-

The State Government has constituted the Board, namely "The Meghalaya Building & Other Construction Workers Welfare Board" under section 18 of the "Building and Other Construction Workers' (Regulation of Employment and Conditions of Service) Act, 1996" for the welfare of the construction workers who are the most vulnerable segment and the second largest unorganized labour sector after agriculture.

The Board undertakes various welfare schemes for its registered workers including skill development. Under the Skill Development Programme for Construction Workers, the Meghalaya Building & Other Construction Workers' Welfare Board has planned to implement a project for up-grading the skills of its registered workers across the State. Meghalaya Building & Other Construction Worker's Welfare Board is inviting Expression of Interest (EoI) for engaging RPL (Recognition of Prior Learning) Provider of repute having excellent domain expertise and knowledge of the construction sector for RPL in construction trades.

1.2 About the Program

- (A) The Meghalaya Building & Other Construction Workers' Welfare Board aims to upgrade the skills and RPL for the registered workers or their dependents engaged in building and other allied construction activities, considering the opportunities for better employment in the growing Construction Sector which is India's second largest employer and is presently facing a huge dearth of skilled man power. It is also designed to prepare the candidates to become new entrepreneurs in the construction sector.
- (B) The Meghalaya Building & Other Construction Workers Welfare Board intends to extend the skill development to beneficiaries and their dependents. The applicant agencies need to broadly adhere to relevant guidelines in the case of RPL (Recognition of Prior Learning), as laid down by the Board/ Department from time to time.
- (C) The Board/ Department may extend the scheme to the registered members of any other board under the Labour Department, Meghalaya ,as per requirement.

1.3 Schedule dates for EoI.

The schedule date shall be as per given in summary of dates above.

The Meghalaya Building & Other Construction Workers Welfare Board reserves the right to modify/change the EOI schedule. Any query to this EoI will be responded to through e-mail until the scheduled date and time. Meghalaya Building & Other Construction Workers' Welfare Board in its absolute discretion without being under any obligation to do so, could update, amend, or cancel the Expression of Interest (EoI) without specifying the reason.

2.1 Scope of Work

The Meghalaya Building & Other Construction Workers Welfare Board invites bids to this Expression of Interest for 10 Days RPL (Recognition of Prior Learning) to its Construction Workers Skill Development Programme in the State of Meghalaya for the registered Building and Other Construction workers for RPL (Recognition of Prior Learning).

RPL is a suitable medium for skilling of construction workers as it provides for certification of the existing skills alongside the flexibility of customized 'Bridge Courses' for up-skilling and re-skilling.

People employed in Building and other construction works are primarily migrant and unorganized workers. They are mostly poor and belong to marginalized sections of society, with minimal education and skills. This is likely to make them less productive, poorly paid and susceptible to work place accidents and exploitation. To alleviate the condition of these workers, the Building and Other Construction Workers' Welfare Cess Act, 1996 (Cess Act), has been enacted for levy and collection of cess on the 'cost of construction' incurred, from the 'employer' for use for the welfare of construction workers who are registered with the respective states. Since the lack of skills is one of the contributing conditions for the poor status, it becomes imperative to provide skills to construction workers to improve their livelihood conditions.

The engagement of RPL Provider initially will be for a period of three-years and maybe extended for two years, subject to satisfactory performance of the RPL Provider. Also, if necessary, the same programme shall be implemented by the Labour Department and Labour Welfare Board.

At the end of the course, third party assessment shall be carried out and certificates shall be provided / submitted by the bidder which shall be issued by Assessment Body affiliated by SSC as per guidelines.

2.2 The broad Scope of work includes but not restricted to the following: -

- a) The selected training partner will have to undertake the assignment as and when allotted by Department/Boards.
- b) Conducting Impact assessment studies/Tracer studies on skill-based training
- c) To prepare the mobilization plan in such a manner that the training targets are completed in specified time
- d) Getting all statutory clearances from the concerned authority.
- e) Setting up necessary infrastructure at the training centers along with all the required lab equipment for practical training, projector, Laptop for multimedia classes as per the project requirement according to the government guidelines.
- f) Delivery of theory, practical and tutorial for the courses as per Qualification Packs (QPs) available at PMKVY website.
- g) To arrange ToT Certified trainers in the required Qualification Packs/JobRoles
- h) To collect all required documents from the mobilized candidates as per the programme guideline and maintain the database of the trainees.
- i) Registration of candidates, attendance, including uploading on relevant websites and CCTV and center validation work.
- j) Administrative work involved with Labour Department / Boards, Government agencies/ Depts. and assessment agencies for smooth conduct of the training and assessment of the candidate.
- k) Branding of Training Center as per the scheme requirement.
- l) The selected training partner should identify& set up Training/ Skill Centers / as per requirement in other districts/locations and maintain them on their own cost.
- m) Training Partner is expected to provide candidates all possible information on the nature of work in the sector/ trade, availability of jobs, potential pay and entitlements, growth prospects and risks involved, with the aim of helping candidates and their families.
- n) The Training Partner shall be responsible for coordination of all aspects of the training including center readiness, quality of training delivery, assessment and certification, and outcomes required from the training.

- o) All records including but not limited to those pertaining to attendance, class progress, assessment, certification, and training out comes must be maintained.
- p) The Training Provider would submit reports in pre-agreed formats as and when required by the Board.
- q) Reports shall be submitted to the Board showing the overall progress of the project.

Interested parties needs to Showcase detailed study reports and case studies for previous implemented projects.

Only registered Meghalaya Building & Other Construction workers and their dependents are eligible for this initiative. Meghalaya Building & Other Construction Workers' Welfare Board will assist the Skill Training Provider in mobilization of the candidates in each district by way of providing the list of registered construction workers.

3. Eligibility Criteria

The following are the criteria for RPL (Recognition of Prior Learning) to qualify the EOI stage and only those should submit their bids who qualify these criteria's:

S. No	EligibilityCriteria(RPL)	SupportingDocuments
1.	The Training Provider must be a registered legal entity in India and must be in operation for at least 5 years or more.	Certificate of incorporation of the legal entity/copies of local tax Registration, PAN, GSTregistration.
2.	The TP must have an average annual turnover of INR 2.5.00cr.in the last 3 years.	Audited Balance Sheet for last 3years/Turnover certificate by Authorized CA.(FY:2020-21,2021-22 &2022-23)
3.	The TP must be an affiliated/ empanelled training partner with SSCs/NSDC	Affiliation/ Empanelment Certificates
4.	TP must have at least 10 certified trainers and experienced faculty.	Theself-certificate by the authorized signatory along with List of Trainers.
5.	TP should have the experience of working in similar projects in State/ Central Government Organization/ PSU.	Relevant work order/ Agreements/ MoU/ Completion Certificates.

4. EoI Evaluation Procedure

The EoI evaluation procedure will be as per following steps:

- i. Post publication of EOI document a prequalification discussion session shall be held on the scheduled date and time.
- ii. The bidder shall submit the EoI proposal only on <https://meghalayatenders.gov.in/nicgep/>
- iii. After evaluating the proposals, the eligible bidders shall be called for presentations, if any.

- iv. The further details will be finalized after discussion with EoI qualified bidders such as:
 - a) The qualification of manpower for Skill training.
 - b) The batch size for training.
 - c) Number of batches to be trained in a year.
 - d) The study material to be provided for training.
 - e) The logistic arrangement for training.
 - f) The hierarchy/ escalation matrix of the trainers and management faculty.
 - g) The penal provision for non performance.
 - h) Any other issue surfacing in the discussion.
 - i) The items/ heads/ units to be considered for evaluating the financial bids of theRFP.
- v. Only EoI qualified bidders will be called for further evaluation process.

5. Technical Evaluation Post Prequalification Process for RPL

	Detailed Parameters	Marks	Requirements
1.	<p>Past Experience of TP:</p> <p>Prior Experience (Past 5 years) in working in similar project in a State/ Central Government/ PSU.</p> <p>No. of Work Orders</p> <p>Upto 5: (10 Marks)</p> <p>More than 5 to 10: (20 Marks)</p> <p>More than 10: (30 Marks)</p>	30	Work Orders/ Service Agreement or Completion Certificates from the Client/ Relevant Certificates.
2.	<p>Technical Presentation:</p> <p>Understanding of the Project</p> <p>Approach and Methodology</p>	20 20	Presentation
3.	<p>The TP should have experience Trained RPL :</p> <p>Upto 2,000 : (5Marks)</p> <p>2,001-5000:(10 Marks)</p> <p>5,001-10,000:(15 Marks)</p> <p>10,001 & above: (20 Marks)</p>	20	Work Orders or Completion Certificates
4.	NSDC/CSDCI/WMPSC Empaneled Training Partner	10	Affiliation /Empanelment Certificates

A minimum of 80 marks is required for empanelment in the RPL.

6. Department Note:

a. The documents required as proof for technical marking must be submitted as client citations or work orders or letter of declaration signed by the client or Contracting agency.

b. Bidder should give a presentation (approx. duration of 20 Minutes) with respect to above technical evaluation criteria after opening of the Technical Bid.

c. The tender evaluation committee reserves the right to visit bidder's customers where such similar project execution has taken place.

7. Payments & Deliverables

The payment and deliverables shall be as per relevant guidelines for RPL where ever applicable.

8. General Terms/ Conditions & Instructions for Bidders

- a) Interested applicants may submit their EoI Processing Fees of Rs.10,000/- (Rupees Ten Thousand only) online.
- b) Training Partner (TP) shall be responsible for training centers' resources, setup, trainers, trainee mobilization, and training.
- c) Registration of trainees and batch formation to be done in consultation with Meghalaya Building & Other Construction Workers Welfare Board and shall abide by all rules & regulations laid down by Meghalaya Building & Other Construction Workers' Welfare Board.
- d) Trainers should match education qualification & experience criteria as mentioned in Model Curriculum of job role and /or as desired by SSC guideline. Assessment and certificate of trainer with respective SSC is mandatory for imparting training.
- e) The EOI submitted by the applicant shall remain valid for a period of 180 days after the closing date for submission of EoI prescribed in this document. EoI validity expressed for less than 180 days shall be rejected.
- f) At any time prior to the deadline for submission of EOI; Meghalaya Building & Other Construction Workers' Welfare Board may modify the EOI document. The amended document shall be notified through website and such amendments shall be binding on the Applicants.
- g) Meghalaya Building & Other Construction Workers Welfare Board may at its sole discretion and at any time during the evaluation of EoI, disqualify any applicant, if the applicant has made misleading or false representations in the forms, statements and attachments submitted in proof of the eligibility requirements.

- h) Meghalaya Building & Other Construction Workers' Welfare Board shall have all the rights to disqualify the applicant during the evaluation of EoI ,if:
- a. Submitted an EoI without required documentation;
 - b. Use of modified formats for submission;
 - c. Blacklisted by State/ UT/ Central Government or any Public Sector Undertaking under them;
 - d. Processing fee not paid with the proposal.

PART-B

1. Important Instructions

- The applicant should fill in the details in each Table Forms given in point no.2 to 11 and attach all supporting documents.
- Proposal should carry the Covering Letter, as per the format enclosed at **Annexure-1**.

2. Applicant's Details

General Information

Form3: General information of the bidders

Details of the Bidder							
Name							
Address							
Telephone				Fax			
Email				Website			
Details of Authorized Person							
Name							
Address							
Mobile							
Landline				Email			

Dated:

Place:

Signed & sealed:

(Authorized representative of the firm)

3. Turnover of Organization

The applicant should give declaration by chartered accountant on their letter head duly signed and sealed in following format.

To whom so ever it may concern

On the basis of audited financial statements, wehere by certify that (Name of Training Partner) having registered office at (Office address) has an average annual turn over of Rupees Five Crores (Rs.5Crores) in the last 3 years. The details of annual turn over are mentioned below:

S.No	Year	AnnualTurnover

Note: Audited financial statements for the past three years should be submitted by the Applicant.

(Chartered Accountant):

Signature

Name Registration No.

Contact No.

Seal:

Date:

Place:

4. Post Training Performance

- a) Provide details of past experience of conducting similar projects / RPL in last 5 years
- b) Provide details of skill training / RPL programmes run under Central Government funding / State Government funding in tables below:-

Central Govt. Funded Training Programs

S.No	Name of the project	Funding ministry	Candidates trained	Candidates certified	Description of the project	Total Duration of the project

State Govt. Funded Training Programs

S.No	Name of the project	Funding ministry	Candidates trained	Candidates certified	Description of the project	Total Duration of the project

5. Strategy to be adopted for mobilization of trainees.

(Please give detail pertaining to the proposed mobilization strategies and best practices that the applicant will adopt for mobilization of candidates for training).

6. Best Practices to be adopted for quality assurance.

(Please give details regarding best practices to be adopted to ensure quality assurance including IT or MIS platform).

7. Details of the Center Management Team

S. No.	Name of the staff	Designation	Years of experience	Area of experience	Proposed role in management

Annexure1:Forwarding Letter

(Strictly on applicant's letter head) Date:

To,

TheSecretary,
Meghalaya Building and Other Construction Workers Welfare Board,
Lower Lachumiere, Shillong - 793001, Meghalaya

.Dear Sir,

Subject:-Engaging Empaneled Training Partners for RPL of construction workers and their dependents

Please find enclosed the proposal in respect of the engaging empaneled training partners to undertake the project for RPL (Recognition of Prior Learning) of construction workers under Construction Workers Skill Development Programme in Meghalaya ,in response to the Expression of Interest (EoI) Document issued by Meghalaya Building and Other Construction Workers Welfare Board(MBOCWFB).

Where by confirm that:

1. The proposal is being submitted by (name of the training partner who is the applicant), in accordance with the conditions stipulated in the EoI.
2. We have examined in detail and have understood the terms and conditions stipulated in the EoI Document issued by Meghalaya Building & Other Construction Worker's Welfare Board and in any subsequent communication sent by Meghalaya Building & Other Construction Worker's Welfare Board. We agree and undertake to abide by allthese terms and conditions. Our proposal is consistent with all the requirements ofsubmission as stated in the EoI or in any of the subsequent communications from Meghalaya Building & Other Construction Worker's Welfare Board.
3. The information submitted in our proposal is complete, is strictly as per the requirements as stipulated in the EoI, and is correct to the best of knowledge and understanding.
4. We would be solely responsible for any errors or omissions in our proposal. We acknowledge that Meghalaya Building & Other Construction Worker's Welfare Board will be relying on the information provided in the proposal and the documents accompanying such proposal for engagement of the applicant for the aforesaid programme, and we certify that all information provided in the application is true and correct; nothing has been omitted which renders such information misleading; and all documents accompanying such proposal are true copies of their respective originals.
5. We acknowledge the right of Meghalaya Building & Other construction Worker'sWelfare Board to reject our proposal without assigning any reason or otherwise and hereby waive, to the fullest extent permitted by applicable law, our

right to challenge the same on any account whatsoever.

6. We satisfy the legal requirements and meet all the eligibility criteria as laid down in the EoI.
7. This proposal is unconditional and we hereby undertake to abide by the terms and conditions of the EoI.
8. We have not directly or indirectly or through an agent engaged or indulged in any corrupt practice, fraudulent practice, coercive practice, undesirable practice or restrictive practice.
9. We have enclosed the processing fee with the proposal. The details are as under:-

In witness there of, we submit our proposal for the EOI published by Meghalaya Building & Other Construction Worker's Welfare Board. For and on behalf of:

Signature: Name:

Designation:(Company
seal)

(Authorized signatory)

Annexure2: Format for Power of Attorney

(Required only if the Signatory to the Bid is not directly authorized by the Company Board, or Partners, Otherwise the Board Resolution/ Partners Resolution would suffice)

Date:

To,

The Secretary,

Meghalaya Building and Other Construction Workers Welfare Board,
Lower Lachumiere, Shillong - 793001, Meghalaya

Dear Sir,

Subject:- Engaging Empaneled Training Partners for RPL of construction workers and their dependents.

<Proposer's name> hereby authorizes <Designated Representative's name> to act as a representative of <Proposer's name> for the following activities vide its Board Resolution (and Power of Attorney if applicable) attached herewith.

- To attend all meetings conducted by Meghalaya Building & Other construction Worker's Welfare Board and shall discuss, negotiate, finalize and sign any Proposal or agreement and contract with Meghalaya Building & Other Construction Worker's Welfare Board related to EoI.

Yours faithfully,

<Signature and Name of appropriate authority of the Proposer>

<Signature and name of the Designated Representative of the Proposer for acceptance of this Power of Attorney>

For

<Name of Proposer>

Encl: Board resolution for Authorized signatory

Annexure 3:Format for Self-Declaration

Format for Self-Declaration certifying that the Entity/ Promoters of Entity are not blacklisted(On a Stamp Paper of INR 100)

Anti-Blacklisting Declaration

I/We M/s.....(Name of the Proposer), (the names and addresses of the registered office) hereby certify and confirm that we or any of our promoter/s director/s/authorized signatory are not barred by Government of Meghalaya / any other entity of Government of Meghalaya or black listed by any State Government or central government/department/Local Government/Municipal body/Public Agency in India or from abroad as on the..... (Proposal submission Date).

We further confirm that we are aware that our application for the captioned Project would be liable for rejection in case any material misrepresentation is made or discovered with regard to the requirements of this EOI at any stage of the Bidding Process or thereafter during the agreement period. Dated this Day Of..... 2024.

Name of the Proposer

Signature of the Authorized Person

Name of the Authorized Person