

Notice for Pre-Qualification

Consultancy Services for Sukkur Dry Port

Government of Sindh has approved the establishment of Sukkur Dry Port with a view to creating an enabling environment for international trading activities by business community of upper Sindh. The project is intended to reduce business costs, to utilize infrastructure especially railway service in a more effective manner, and to create positive backward impact on agrarian production along with many other anticipated economic benefits including development of intermediary services.

Sindh Board of Investment, Investment Department as sponsoring department, therefore, invites Statements of Qualifications for pre-qualification purposes from reputed consultancy firms in connection with a detailed Feasibility Study and Transaction Advisory Services for the proposed Sukkur Dry Port.

<u>Scope of Work</u>	<u>Eligibility Criteria</u>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • To conduct economic feasibility of the project including the quantum of anticipated exports and imports through the Dry Port and impact on trading activities. • Technical feasibility of the project including issues of suitable land and required railway infrastructure. • To draw up preliminary master plan and design of the Dry Port. • Financial feasibility and project structure under public-private partnership mechanism within the public procurement framework of GoS. • Transaction Advisory Services including preparation of legal documentation, draft Concession Agreement, project marketing and finalization of concession. 	<p>The applicant consultancy firms must fulfill the following criteria:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. At least 10 years experience in providing consultancy services in multiple sectors especially port operations. 2. Financial robustness. 3. Availability of qualified and capable human resources. 4. Technical capacity to handle complex projects. 5. Understanding of PPP and public sector procurement procedures. 6. May be domestic or international

Submission of

Documents

1. Interested and eligible consultancy firms are required to submit completed Statements of Qualifications (SoQ) prepared according to Request for Statement of Qualifications (RSQ) available for downloading on SBI website at www.sbi.gos.pk/tenders.
2. Completed SoQs (hard copies) must reach Sindh Board of Investment latest by 1700 hours on or before June 1, 2012 at the following address:

Director Administration,
Sindh Board of Investment,
Block B, 1st Floor, FTC Building,
Shahrah-e-Faisal, Karachi.