

Government of India Ministry of Human Resources Development **Department of School Education and Literacy**

NOTICE INVITING EXPRESSION OF INTEREST

Objectives of the Scheme

- 1. To set up 2,500 model schools as benchmark of excellence in blocks other than Educationally Backward Blocks (EBBs) at the rate of one school per block.
- 2. Model Schools will operate Classes VI to XII and shall have minimum infrastructure and facilities of same standards as in a Kendriya Vidyalaya(KV)

Location

- 1. Schools shall be located in Headquarters of Blocks that are not educationally backward.
- 2. Initially, 500 blocks will be identified for setting up of Model Schools in the first phase.

Broad Roles of Private Entity and MHRD

- 1. Private Entity shall procure the land for Model Schools and develop, design, build, finance, provide infrastructure, operate, maintain, manage and own these Schools.
- 2. The MHRD will contribute to recurring cost on per capita basis for the students sponsored by the Government. Besides, additional 25% of such support will also be provided in respect of sponsored students as infrastructure grant. The initial contract for such provision of quality education would be 10 years for each school, which is extendable as per mutual agreement.

Last date for submission of EoI is 16th April 2012 upto 1700 hours IST. Sealed envelope earmarked to the captioned address, containing EoI and non-refundable fee of INR 10,000 by way of Demand draft/Pay order in favour of "PAO, Ministry of Human Resource Development", payable at New Delhi may be submitted mentioning the following: "EoI for setting up Model Schools on PPP mode" Smt. Radha S. Chauhan, Joint Secretary (SE.I), DSEL, Ministry of Human Resource and Development, GoI,

Room 107 -D, Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi - 110115

Setting up of 2500 Model Schools under **Public-Private-**Partnership (PPP) mode

Bidding Process

Department of School Education and Literacy (DSEL), Ministry of Human Resource and Development (MHRD) invites Expressions of Interest (EoI) from Private Entities, which may be a Section-25 Company/Trust/Society, either as a single entity or consortium and for a consortium its Lead member, meeting the following eligibility criteria:

- (i) An entity running at least one CBSE School from where at least two consecutive batches have passed out from Class 10 will qualify for upto 3 schools.
- (ii) Those who have not come up to the Board examination level will qualify for one school.
- (iii) An entity would qualify for 3 schools if it has a track record of running educational institutions for at least 5 years and if it makes an interest-bearing deposit of Rs 25 lakh for each school, to be released in 3 annual instalments after commissioning.
- (iv) A Corporate Entity would be eligible for one school for every Rs 25 crore net worth subject to interestbearing deposit of Rs 50 lakh each for upto 3 schools and Rs 25 lakh per school thereafter.

Applicants are required to submit necessary documents/certificates in support of the eligibility criteria mentioned above and shall include organizational brochures and audited financial statements (for last 3 years). Eol is being issued for initial screening of the interested applicants.

Scheme guidelines and format for Letter in order to express interest for the instant Proposal by the be downloaded from Applicants can www.education.nic.in/www.mhrd.gov.in.

Note: DSEL, MHRD or any of its designates reserves the right to cancel this request for EoI and/or invite afresh with or without amendments, without liability or any obligation for such request for EoI and without assigning any reason. Information provided at this stage is indicative and DSEL, MHRD reserves the right to amend/add further details in the EoI.

Format for letter for submission of EOI by Applicant

Dated:

To,

Joint Secretary (SE.I), Department of School Education and Literacy (DSEL), Ministry of Human Resource and Development (MHRD), Government of India (GoI), Room 107 -D, Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi – 110115

Sub: Application for initial screening for the Proposal "EOI for Setting up of 2500 new Model Schools on PPP mode"

Dear Madam,

With reference to the Expression of Interest (EOI) advertisement issued in [Name of Newspaper/Website referred by Applicant] on the captioned subject dated ,......... we, [Name of the Sole Applicant or Lead Member in case of a Consortium]¹ having examined the notice on the subject EOI and Model School Scheme guidelines and understood its contents, hereby submit our Application for initial screening for the aforesaid Proposal. The Application is unconditional and unqualified.

2. We are hereby applying against the Eligibility Criteria [(i), (ii), (iii), (iv)] as per the EOI notice. (*strike out remaining eligibility criteria which are not applicable)

3. Our indicative Consortium members comprise the following Firms:\$2

a. [(Name of the Firm, Name and designation of Authorised representative)

b. (Name of the Firm, , Name and designation of Authorised representative)

c. (Name of the Firm, , Name and designation of Authorised representative)

d. (Name of the Firm, , Name and designation of Authorised representative)]

4. We certify that our Consortium shall enter into a Joint Bidding Agreement as may be required.\$

6. We hereby submit non-refundable fee vide demand draft/pay order number......dated......for INR 10,000/- issued by [name of Bank] payable at New Delhi.

7. We acknowledge that the MHRD will be relying on the information provided in the Application and the documents accompanying such Application for initial screening of the Applicants for the aforesaid project, and we certify that all information provided in the Application and in Annexes is true and correct; nothing has been omitted which renders such information misleading; and all documents accompanying such Application are true copies of their respective originals.

8. We acknowledge that this statement is made only for the purposes of expressing interest in

Note: Points/Paragraphs in square parenthesis may be modified as necessary.

^{\$=}Omit the point and delete from letter if the Applicant is not a Consortium

the proposal and may lead to qualification as an Applicant in order to develop, design, build, finance, provide infrastructure, operate, maintain, manage and own Model Schools.

9. We shall make available to the MHRD any additional information it may find necessary or require to supplement or authenticate the eligibility criteria as per the listed EOI.

10. We acknowledge the right of the MHRD to reject our Application 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.

11. We understand that MHRD may cancel the Bidding Process at any time and that MHRD are neither bound to accept any Application that MHRD may receive nor to invite the Applicants to Bid for the Proposal, without incurring any liability to the either parties.

12. We are enclosing the following documents for the purposes of initial screening in response to the EOI proposal:

i. Demand Draft/Pay Order for non-refundable fee

ii. Affiliation certificate to CBSE

iii. Audited Accounts

iv.

In witness thereof, we submit this application under and in accordance with the terms of the EOI.

Yours faithfully,

Date:

(Signature, name and designation of the Authorised Signatory)

Address for correspondence (including details of Phone (Landline and Mobile) & email id)

Place:

Name and seal of the Applicant/ Lead Member

Submission of EOI will contain the following indicative list of documents and certificates:

- 1. Letter by Applicant to express interest in the proposal
- 2. Documents (whichever applicable) to support eligibility criteria such as:
 - a. CBSE Affiliation
 - b. Certificate/Proof showing that two consecutive batches have passed out from Class X.
 - c. Certificate/Proof showcasing subject School under operation, maintenance and management for last five years.
 - d. Certificate of net worth from Chartered Accountant (CA).
- 3. Audited Annual accounts for last three financial years.
- 4. Demand draft/ Pay order for non-refundable fee.