

## Tender-Note: German Financial Cooperation with India

Title: Consulting Services for Assistance in Engineering, Procurement, Construction Supervision and Operation of a Solar PV Power Plant and Power Evacuation Infrastructure in Maharashtra, India

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Submission Deadline	Electronic submission of Application Documents via <a href="https://mahatenders.gov.in/">https://mahatenders.gov.in/</a> e-procurement platform at or before 24 October 2023, 16 hrs Indian Standard Time (IST). No hard copies shall be submitted.
Language	English
Project No.	BMZ No.: 201767243 / 201968270; KfW Procurement No: 509264
Type of Tender/Stage	First stage of a two-stage international bidding procedure: Invitation for Expression of Interest (Pre-Qualification)
Tenderer	Maharashtra Krishna Valley Development Corporation (MKVDC)
Project Measures and requested Consultant Services	In the state of Maharashtra, a utility-scale solar photovoltaic (PV) power plant with a capacity of up to 200 MW <sub>DC</sub> is currently being developed by MKVDC. Funds have been earmarked for this Project by the German bilateral Financial Cooperation (FC), implemented by the German Development Bank (KfW). MKVDC is selecting a suitable Project Implementation Consultant (PIC), who shall support MKVDC in implementing the solar project and associated power evacuation infrastructure and in supervising Contractor's providing engineering, procurement, construction services and operation and maintenance (O&M) of the solar PV power plant and related power evacuation infrastructure. The overall objective of this assignment is to ensure the successful and timely implementation of the Project in accordance with national and international good practices.
Team Profile	The Consultant needs to be adequately qualified for this interdisciplinary assignment. As a general requirement, the Consultant shall have adequate education, professional knowledge and experience in handling similar tasks in the past. The Consultant must have a proven track record in the photovoltaic sector (preferably in India), with a focus on the construction and operation of photovoltaic power plants. A team comprising of various experts with relevant expertise and other professional as well as administrative support staff shall provide the services. Efficient management and backstopping services shall be made available.
Employer	Maharashtra Krishna Valley Development Corporation (MKVDC)
Contract	The contract will follow KfW's specimen contract. The selection of experienced Consultants is subject to the regulations contained in the latest version of the "Guidelines for the Procurement of Consulting Services, Works, Plant, Goods and Non-Consulting Services in Financial Cooperation with Partner Countries" available at <a href="http://www.kfw-entwicklungsbank.de">www.kfw-entwicklungsbank.de</a>
Duration	The total implementation period for the services is expected to be 48 months
Address where the Pre-Qualification Document can be obtained	The PQ document (hereinafter also referred to as bidding document) is available online for downloading on <a href="https://mahatenders.gov.in/">https://mahatenders.gov.in/</a> from 25 <sup>th</sup> September 2023 to 24 <sup>th</sup> October 2023.