



## REQUEST FOR EXPRESSIONS OF INTEREST (CONSULTING SERVICES – FIRMS SELECTION)

*Pakistan*

*P154036: Disaster & Climate Resilience Improvement Project*

**Credit No.: 5686-PK**

**Assignment Title: Baseline Creation and Third Party Monitoring/Validation**

**Reference No: PIU Activity- 2**

The P&D Department of AJK has received financing from the World Bank towards the cost of the DCRIP, and intends to apply part of the proceeds for consulting services for Baseline creation and third party validation of the project.

The Project Implementation Unit (PIU), DCRIP, P&D Department of AJK now invites eligible consulting firms (“Consultants”) to indicate their interest in providing the Services as mentioned in the Terms of Reference available at the website given below.

Interested Consultants should provide information demonstrating that they have the required track record, relevant experience and suitable capacity to perform the Services. The short listing criteria are:

<b>Eligibility Criteria</b>	<b>Marks</b>
The consultant shall be <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Tax registered national management consultancy firm (for National firms only)</li><li>• At least five (05) years incorporated experience for offering similar services.</li></ul>	
<b>Scoring Criteria</b>	
General Experience: The consultant should have completed at least Five (05) similar sizes of projects of the same scale and/or complexity and in comparable organizations to judge capacity and performance of the firm.	30
Specific Experience The consultant should have completed at least Four (04) similar projects of the same scale and/or complexity and in comparable organizations.	40

Management Capacity (Volume/number of consultant's services in terms of total number of staff months executed in the assignment, as their specific input should be sufficient to indicate that the firm would be able to handle the requirements of this assignment.)	30
Total	100
<b>Firms scoring at least 70 marks will be short listed for the assignment</b>	

The attention of interested Consultants is drawn to paragraph 1.9 of the World Bank's Guidelines: Selection and Employment of Consultants [under IBRD Loans and IDA Credits & Grants] by World Bank Borrowers, January 2011 (revised July 2014).

Consultants may associate with other firms in the form of a joint venture or a sub consultancy to enhance their qualifications.

The Consultant will be selected in accordance with the Consultant Qualification based Selection (CQS).

Further information can be obtained at the address below during office hours from 0900 to 1600 hours.

Expressions of interest in hard copy must be delivered to the address given below by **June 14, 2016**.

Detailed Terms of Reference for the consultancy can be downloaded from the website of Planning and Development Department AJK ([www.pndajk.gov.pk](http://www.pndajk.gov.pk))

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