

INVITATION FOR EXPRESSION OF INTEREST

**Ministry of Road Transport & Highways
(Government of India)
Request for Qualification
(International Competitive Bidding)**

(No. RW/NH-12037/1312/AppoIE/ZT/2015/NH-1)

1. Ministry of Road Transport & Highways (MoRT&H) invites applications for Expression of Interest from applicants interested in an Independent Engineer (IE) for construction, operation and maintenance of the following project to be executed as DBFOT (Annuity) projects for a pre-agreed concession period (the "Concession Period"):-

S. No.	Name of Project	State	Length (in kms)	Total Project Cost (Rs in crore)	Concession period (in years) period
1.	Construction, Operation and Maintenance of Zozila tunnel (14.083 km long Single Tube bi-directional tunnel with parallel egress tunnel) including approaches on NH No. 1 (Srinagar-Sonmarg-Gumri road) in the state of J&K on Design, Build, Finance, Operate and Transfer (Annuity) basis	Jammu & Kashmir	14.083 km long Single Tube bi-directional tunnel with parallel egress tunnel	9090	22 years (07 years construction period) + 15 years operation period

2. The Detailed EOI documents can be viewed/downloaded from official portal of MORTH <http://www.morth.nic.in> or e-procurement portal of MORTH <https://morth.eproc.in> from **04.12.2015 up to 14.01.2016 (10:00 Hours)** . Last date of sale of EOI documents is 14.01.2016 (upto 10:00 Hours). Due date for submission of Applications/Bids is on 14.01.2016 up to 11:00 Hrs. Opening of Applications/Bids will be on **14th January 2016, 11:30 Hrs.**
3. To participate in bidding, Bidders have to pay a sum of **Rs. 1,295/- (Rupees one thousand two hundred and ninety five only) towards tender processing fee (non-refundable) to "M/s C1 India Pvt. Ltd."** on e-tender portal of MORTH <https://morth.eproc.in> through integrated online payment gateway enabled on E-Tender portal.
4. It is mandatory for all Bidders to have Class-III Digital Signature Certificate (in the name of person who will sign the Application/Bid) (with both Signing and Encryption Certificate) from any of the licensed certifying agency ("CAs") [Applicants can see the list of licensed CAs from the link www.cca.gov.in] to participate in e-tendering of MoRT&H.

DSC should be in the name of the authorized signatory. It should be in corporate capacity (that is in Applicant/Bidder capacity / in case of Consortium, in the Lead Member capacity, as applicable). The Applicant/Bidder shall submit document in support of the class III DSC.

The authorised signatory holding Power of Attorney shall only be the Digital Signatory. In case authorized signatory holding Power of Attorney and Digital Signatory are not the same, the Application/EOI shall be considered **Non-Responsive**.

5. Complete EOI document can be submitted at e-tendering portal of MORTH <https://morth.eproc.in>. For participating in the bidding through E-tendering mode, please refer the “Procedure Under E-Tendering (Instructions to Bidders)” attached as a separate document. Please note that MoRT&H reserves the right to accept/reject any or all applications/bids without assigning any reason therefor.
6. To participate in the E-Bid submission, it is mandatory for the Bidders to get their firm/ Consortium registered with e-tendering portal of MORTH <https://morth.eproc.in> and to have user identification number & password (collectively referred to as the “ID and Password”) which has to be obtained in Bidder’s own name by submitting an annual registration charges (non refundable) of Rs.2280/- (Rs. 2,000 plus service tax @ 14%) (Rupees two thousand two hundred eighty only) to M/s C1 India Pvt. Ltd. through online payment only. The registration obtained, as mentioned above shall be valid for one year from date of its issuance and shall subsequently be got renewed.
7. Amendments/Corrigendum for EOI documents, if any, would be hosted on the e-tendering portal of MORTH <https://morth.eproc.in>.

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