

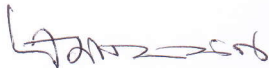
**Government of the People's Republic of Bangladesh**  
**Ministry of Power, Energy and Mineral Resources**  
**Power Division**  
**Power Cell**  
**Biddyut Bhaban (9<sup>th</sup> Floor)**  
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**REQUEST FOR EXPRESSION OF INTEREST (EOI) FOR APPOINTING A FINANCIAL CONSULTANT**

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Dated: April 13, 2016

1. The Government has a vision to provide electricity to all by 2021. Due to relentless efforts of the Government till to date 76% population have access to electricity, installed capacity is now about 14,000 MW. Per capita generation is increased from 220 KWh to 371 KWh. About 4.0 lacs new consumers are connected to grid every month. It may be mentioned that power sector took off in late 90's through reforms, restructuring and corporatization programs. Under the reforms program the sector was unbundled several generation, transmission & distribution companies. The objectives were to run these entities commercially in a competitive manner. However, these public sector corporatized entities could have more scope for improvement such as project financing, loan borrowing and repayment, fund raising, risk mitigation etc.
2. With this backdrop, the Government intends to appoint a Financial Consultant under QCBS method in accordance with PPA 2006 & PPR 2008 to indentify the management and financial strengths and weaknesses of the public sector entities and recommend for further improvement.
3. Interested consulting firms must provide information indicating that they are qualified to perform the services. The short-listing criteria are:
  - a) Age of firm (minimum five years of establishment)
  - b) Specific experience of the firm (preferably in South Asia and Europe)
  - c) Availability of key staff (should maintain consistency in EOI and RFP submission)
  - d) Resources & Support services of the firm
4. Consultants are requested to submit the following supporting documents against the above mentioned criteria: (a) Registration paper of the firm (s); (b) JV agreement/letter of intent (if applicable), (c) Firm's brochure; (d) Audited financial reports for last three years; (e) Service experience record (d) Short Biography of Key staff.
5. The interested firms may form consortium/association to strengthen their capacity. However, the Team Leader must be a reputed professional who has adequate experience in formulation of such assignment, guidelines and policies.
6. Detail scope of work will be mentioned in the Terms of Reference (TOR) which will be available in [www.powercell.gov.bd](http://www.powercell.gov.bd).
7. Expression of Interest (2 copies) must be delivered to the following by May 15, 2016.



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