

# **ARIAS SOCIETY**

Assam Rural Infrastructure and Agricultural Services Society (An Autonomous Body under Govt. of Assam) Project Coordination Unit (PCU) of the World Bank financed Assam Agribusiness and Rural Transformation Project (APART) Agriculture complex, Khanapara, G.S. Road, Guwahati-781022 (Assam, India) Tel: +91 361-2332125; Fax: +91 361-2332564; email: spd@arias.in

### No: ARIASS/APART/156/2016/98

Dated Guwahati the 19th July, 2018

## From Shri Vinod Seshan, IAS, State Project Director, ARIAS Society

To:M/s Deloitte Touche Tohmatsu India LLP (Lead),<br/>Block- EP & GP, Sector-V, Salt Lake Electronic Complex, Kolkata-700091,<br/>[Regd. Address: 12, Dr. Annie Besant Road, Opp. Shivsagar Estate, Worli, Mumbai- 400018]<br/>Email: aloagarwal@deloitte.com ; siddharthkumar@deloitte.com ;<br/>With sub-consultant SeSTA Development Service,<br/>Bagheswaripara, W. No.3, Near Doordarshan Relay Centre,<br/>Bongaigaon, Assam-783380; Email: sdsnortheastindia@gmail.com ;<br/>(Attention: (1) Mr. Aloke Agarwal, Partner, M/s Deloitte Touche Tohmatsu India LLP)

# **Notification of Award**

- a) Name and Address of the Client: State Project Director, Assam Rural Infrastructure and Agricultural Services Society, Agriculture Complex, Khanapara, G.S. Road, Guwahati-781022 (Assam, India)
- b) Name & reference number of the contract being awarded, and the selection method used: Name- Conducting a Sector Scan Study and a Sub-sector Scan Study of Agribusiness Sector for Assam Bureau of Investment Promotion; Reference No. of the contract- ARIAS/APART/156/2016/ dated 30<sup>th</sup> July, 2018; Selection method- Quality and Cost Based Selection (QCBS)
- c) Names of the consultants that submitted proposals, and their proposal prices as read out at financial proposal opening, and as evaluated:

Name of Consultant		Evaluated Financial Proposal price (Rs)	
1) M/s Deloitte Touche Tohmatsu India LLP (Lead), Kolkata-91; With	47,06,000/-	47,06,000/-	Ι
sub-consultant SeSTA Development Service, Bongaigaon- 783380			
2) M/s Grant Thornton India LLP, Gurgaon – 122002	44,99,100/-	44,99,100/-	II
3) M/s Ernst & Young LLP (Lead), Gurgaon-122002; In Association	59,00,000/-	59,00,000/-	III
with (JV) ACCESS Development Services, New Delhi-110016			×
4) M/s Global AgriSystem Private Limited, New Delhi-110016	96,26,208.75	96,26,208.75	IV

- d) Names of all Consultants whose Proposals were rejected or were not evaluated, with the reasons thereof: None
- e) Name of the successful consultant, the final total contract price, the contract duration and a summary of its scope:

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Name:	M/s Deloitte Touche Tohmatsu India LLP (Lead); With sub-consultant SeSTA Development Service	
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	Annie Besant Road, Opp. Shivsagar Estate, Worli, Mumbai- 400018]	
Final total	Rs.47,06,000/- (Excluding taxes)	
<b>Contract price:</b>		
Contract duration:	For 6 (six) months	
Summary of its	The scope of the consultancy assignment for 6 months would cover:	
scope:	1. A demand analysis should be conducted to identify the main trends and features of investment into Assam and its key competitors.	
	2. A supply side analysis should be conducted to assess the Assam investment proposition in sectors, in order to understand the State's relative strengths.	
	3. Identifying the priority subsectors within agribusiness sector:	
	4. The alignment of these analyses should lead to a prioritized short list of the key sectors for investment attraction.	
	5. Identifying specific investment opportunities in each of prioritized sub-sectors.	

#### Sir,

In inviting a reference to the above, I am pleased to inform you that your firm has been selected for award of contract for the above cited assignment and hence pursuant to the ITC clause 34.1 of the RFP, I would like to invite you for signing of the Contract Agreement schedule on **30<sup>th</sup> July 2018 at 11.30 AM** (IST) in the Office of the State Project Director, ARIAS Society, at the address cited above. A copy of the draft contract agreement is attached herewith for your needful. Please send a confirmation letter & email in this regard.

Yours faithfully

(Vinod Seshan, IAS) State Project Director, ARIAS Society