

Energy Management Centre State Designated Agency to enforce Energy Conservation Act 2001

Department of Power, Government of Kerala Thiruvananthapuram – 695017

EOI No. EMC/291/2024-ETB-5

Expression of Interest (EOI) For Empanelling Carbon Credit Consultant (ECCC) for Developing Projects

Amendment I.

Sub: Amendments / further clarifications with respect to Expression of Interest (EOI) For Empanelling Carbon Credit Consultant (ECCC) for Developing Projects.

Ref: Online Clarification meeting held on 16/01/2025 (Notice -No. EMC/291/2024-ETB-5 Date: 13-01-2025).

Based on the online clarification meeting held on 16/01/2025, the following responses are being issued by the Energy Management Centre for the information of those concerned and interested in submitting a response to the EoI.

Clause No	Clause in EOI document	Amendment / clarification.
4.2 Minimum Eligibility Criteria (MEC) of ECCC Subclause (10)	 Annual Turnover – Single ECCC Audited balance sheet or CA certificate proving an annual turnover of INR One Crore in the last 3 financial years (FY22, FY 23, FY 24). FY 24 provisional statements are acceptable. 	 Annual Turnover – Single ECCC Audited balance sheet or CA certificate proving an annual turnover of INR One Crore in the last 3 financial years (FY22, FY 23, FY 24). FY 24 provisional statements are acceptable. In case of start-ups who doesn't have an annual turnover of INR One Crore in the last 3 financial years, they may submit CA certificate proving a net worth of two crore.
4.2 Minimum Eligibility Criteria (MEC) of ECCC Subclause (2)	Work orders or completion certificates for ongoing or completed projects demonstrating a minimum of 5 years of experience in developing carbon credit projects.	Work orders or completion certificates for ongoing or completed projects demonstrating a minimum of 5 years of experience in developing carbon credit projects. For start-ups this shall be relaxed to 3 years.
8. Empanelment Terms	The selected consultant(s) will be empanelled for a period of 5 years, with an	• The selected consultant(s) meeting full criteria as mentioned in the EOI will be empanelled for as

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option for renewal.	 Senior consultant, with an option for renewal. Start-ups who claim a relaxation in the experience and turnover criteria will be considered for empanelment as junior consultants in case they have least 3 years of experience. While allotting works in connections with carbon credit scheme the junior consultant may not be considered for collecting offers for certain categories/ projects based on qualification standards set by EMC for such projects. The decision in this regard 	1
	 will be entirely at the discretion of Director, EMC Once the junior consultants meet full criteria, they can be upgraded to senior consultants against request, with a nominal upgradation fee of Rs 10000/-, if they attain the experience within the period of 2 years from the date of empanelment as junior consultant. The new empanelment period of such upgraded consultants will be for a fresh period of 5 years. 	

Clarification to queries

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Query	Once empanelled, are the projects readily available for consultants?	Energy Management Centre would be creating a pool of consultants to serve with Carbon Credit Cell for Kerala. Projects outlined in EOI and other future projects may be awarded to consultants through a limited tender process, which will be communicated in due course after empanelment.
		Furthermore, these consultants (one or more) will be considered for partnership with envisaged Special Purpose Vehicle (SPV) under EMC, for implementing future projects related to carbon offsetting, mitigation, and adaptation across various government and non-governmental sectors, with an emphasis on areas

		such as transport, industry, agriculture, and energy.The selection will be through limited tender
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Note: Please note that all other terms and conditions, which are not covered above, will remain unchanged as mentioned in the EoI document.

Director Energy Management Centre