Jal Marg Vikas Project Inland Waterways Authority of India (Ministry of Ports, Shipping and Waterways, Government of India)

Date: 25.01.2023

Jal Marg Vikas Project (JMVP) for capacity augmentation of navigation on National Waterways-1 is being implemented with the technical assistance and investment support from the World Bank. The Project period is up to December 2023, which is expected to be extended for 2 years. Inland Waterways Authority of India (IWAI) is the Implementing Agency.

2. Project Management Unit (PMU) has been set up with a Project Director to assist IWAI in execution of the Jal Marg Vikas Project. The PMU is desirous of engaging professional for the Project Management Unit at Noida, as per the details given below, on contract basis for a period of 3 years or co-terminus with the project, whichever is earlier.

Name of the position: Senior Consultant (Naval Architect).

Number of vacancies: 1 Eligibility conditions:

- i. **Educational Qualification:** B Tech (Mechanical/ Naval Architecture) from recognised and reputed institutes like IITs and NITs, etc.
- ii. **Desirable Qualification:** M. Tech.in Naval Architecture/ Naval Construction from reputed Institutes.
- iii. Experience At least 15 years' experience in Ship Design, Ship Building in a Major shipyard, Building of Ships, Ship repairs and/or FRP boats; Development of technical specifications for vessels; Contract Management; Project Management; Financial and contract negotiation and Technical Management of Vessels.

Candidates having exposure to Design and construction of Inland Vessels (Cargo, Passenger, Ro-Ro, Ro-Ro Pax etc.) or Service Vessels required for inland water sector such as Cutter Suction Dredgers, Other type of Dredger, Survey Launches, Workboats, Tugs etc. Operation and Management of vessels; Risk management and Budgeting and cost management will be preferred.

Remuneration: Rs. 1,20,000/- per month.

Duties and responsibilities:

- i. Prepare technical specifications of Tugs, Barges, Dredgers, Vessels and other items, which are to be acquired by the JMVP.
- ii. Assist to identify/short list the vendor for purchase of aforesaid items.
- iii. Suggest the ways and means to procure the best items at competitive rates.
- iv. Assist to negotiate and finalise the contracts of purchase, contract management and release of payment strictly in accordance with the rules and agreement.
- v. Monitor the construction of Tugs, Barges, Dredgers and Vessels etc. so as to ensure that the items being procured are of proper quality and the prescribed specifications.
- vi. Act as a focal person for all dialogues and IWAI initiatives on vessel financing.

- vii. Any other work assigned by the senior officers.
- 3. Interested candidates, who fulfil the required eligibility criteria, may submit their applications, along with the supporting documents, in a sealed envelope to the Project Director (JMVP), Inland Waterways Authority of India, A-13, Sector-1, Noida by post or by hand on or before 15 February 2023.
- 4. The Project Director (JMVP) reserves the right to accept or reject any or all applications and to cancel the applications under process at his discretion and his decision shall be final and binding.

Project Director Jal Marg Vikas Project