



**Expression of Interest for Pre-Qualification
Disaster Recovery (DR) Hosting Facility**

INTRODUCTION

Sindh Revenue Board (SRB) is a Government Department, established under Sindh Revenue Board ACT 2010. The purpose of establishing Sindh Revenue Board was to collect Sales Tax on Services, which, after the passage of 7th NFC award was devolved to the Provincial Government. Sindh was the pioneer in this regard and established Sindh Revenue Board as a new department, which has been collecting Sales Tax on Service since July 2011.

The SRB has installed a state of the art Tier 3 Data Center at the Shaheen Complex, in Karachi.

PROJECT

EOI's are invited from Data Center Operators who offers DR hosting services in Islamabad. One Rack with a load of approximately 5 kW maximum, will be housed in this DR site.

The Vendor will be responsible for a redundant link connecting the SRB site (Shaheen Complex, I.I. Chundrigar Road) to the location of the Vendors DR site.

A draft SLA and the SOPs for Hosting and Operations should also be included

The Vendor will describe its facilities in detail, Tier level, Redundancy of internal Power and Cooling systems and the WAN connectivity. They will also describe their experience in hosting such a DR site and the facilities which will be offered.

EVALUATION/SELECTION CRITERIA

- List of similar assignments with cost, under-taken in the past 10 years..... (30 Marks)
- Remote Monitoring and Security..... (10 Marks)
- Physical technical support 24/7 (20 Marks)
- Availability of appropriate senior engineers..... (30 marks)
- Preference will be given to the firm which has Public Sector experience..... (10 marks)

ADDRESS FOR SUBMISSION AND OPENING OF PRE-QUALIFICATION DOCUMENT:

Interested parties are required to submit their Expression of Interest to the address mentioned below by 11:30 am on 20th February, 2014 and will be opened at 12:30 pm on the same date. Only short listed or pre-qualified bidders will be issued detailed Request for Proposal (RFP).

Note: Interested parties are also required to submit details of disputes/litigation or arbitration with client(s) (if any). Affidavit that firm has never been blacklisted.

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