

Corrigendum

TENDER Title: Request for Expression of Interest (REOI) for Empanelment of Subject Matter Expert for National Urban Learning Platform (NULP)

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1.	Section 3 Purpose of the Document	NA	The purpose of this document is to identify, shortlist, and empanel Subject Matter Experts (SMEs), individual consultants, and professionals with experience in the identified Urban Domains. These individuals will be engaged to provide professional support on a short-term basis for a year which may extend for one more year on the mutual consent of both the parties. The objective of empanelling the SMEs is to provide support to municipal and urban domain-related content preparation, curation, review, and to support NIUA in reviewing content from various other partners/agencies. Also to review e-Learning content developed by 8 eLearning agencies empanelled by NIUA. SMEs are also expected to provide insights, different ideas, strategies, possibilities, and opportunities to ensure that content on the NULP is meaningful and useful for users. Detailed terms and	The Clause shall be read as: - The purpose of this document is to identify, shortlist, and empanel Subject Matter Experts (SMEs), individual consultants, and professionals with experience in the identified Urban Domains. These individuals will be engaged to provide professional support on a short-term basis for two years which may extend for two more years on the mutual consent of both parties. The objective of empanelling the SMEs is to provide support to municipal and urban domain-related content preparation, curation, and review, and to support NIUA in reviewing content from various other partners/agencies. Also to review e-Learning content developed by 8 eLearning agencies empanelled by NIUA. SMEs are also expected to provide insights, different ideas, strategies, possibilities, and opportunities to ensure that content on the NULP is meaningful and useful for users. Detailed terms and conditions of proposed empanelment and association with NIUA will be provided only to shortlisted

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			conditions of proposed empanelment and association with NIUA will be provided only to shortlisted professionals. The empanelment will be done based on the selection criteria outlined in this document	professionals. The empanelment will be done based on the selection criteria outlined in this document.
2.	Annexure 2: Qualification	As this expertise lie with personnels who have done master's in planning, hence I request you to add that also as a qualification in the same: Project Management Expert: Minimum Qualification: 1. master's in project management, Planning, Business Administration, Civil Engineering, Construction Management, or other related fields from a recognized University/Institution. 2. Relevant experience in project management, procurement, contract and vendor management, cost management, risk management, or other related fields	Project Management Expert Minimum Qualification: 1. Master's in Project Management, Business Administration, Civil Engineering, Construction Management, or other related fields from a recognized University/Institution. 2. Relevant experience in project management, procurement, contract and vendor management, cost management, risk management, or other related fields.	Project Management Expert: Minimum Qualification: 1. Master's in project management, Planning , Business Administration, Civil Engineering, Construction Management, or other related fields from a recognized University/Institution. 2. Relevant experience in project management, procurement, contract and vendor management, cost management, risk management, or other related fields.
3.	Annexure 2: Qualification	For the domain of Social Aspects- No educational qualification has been provided in Annexure 2 in the qualification	NA	Social Aspects Expert Minimum Qualification: 1. Masters in social work, Sociology, Public Health, Education, Urban Studies, or other related fields from a recognized University/Institution. 2. Relevant experience in social development, focusing on education,

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				<p>safety and security, healthcare, or other related fields.</p> <p>Additional Qualification:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. PhD in Social Work, Sociology, Public Health, Education, Urban Studies, or related fields from a recognized University/Institution. 2. Published knowledge products, research papers, articles, op-eds, etc. on topics related to education, safety and security, healthcare, or other related fields. 3. Experience in capacity building for social sector projects, including areas such as education, safety and security, and healthcare. 4. Certifications or advanced training in public health, educational leadership, social security, or other related disciplines.
4.	Section 6	NA	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Individual should be a freelance professional and not be an employee in any other company/ establishment. (A person providing more than 20 hours per week or 75 hours' month services to an organization shall be considered as an employee of a company / establishment) 	<p>The clause should be read as:-</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Individual can be a freelance professional and or an employee in any other company/ establishment. (A person providing more than 20 hours per week or 75 hours per month services to an organization shall be considered as an employee of a company/establishment).

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5.	Section 9, Clause II c) (ii)	NA	Undertaking to provide services as per Annexure 3.	The clause should be read as:- <ul style="list-style-type: none"> At the time of allocation of work, an individual working in another company or establishment must furnish an undertaking, to confirm availability to provide services as a subject matter expert, from the current employer according to Annexure 3.
6.	Section 6: Eligibility Criteria	I request NIUA to allow candidates with bachelor's degree and having 5+ years of experience to be equally eligible for this empanelment	Additional Clause	Candidates with bachelor's degrees and 15+ years of experience will be considered for empanelment. This will be applicable to the qualification criteria mentioned in Annexure 2 across all domains.
7.	Section 6: Eligibility Criteria	NA	Additional Clause	The number of years of experience includes up to 3 years for PhD holders provided no work experience is counted during those 3 years.
8.	Section10: Award of Work		NIUA will issue a detailed scope of work to specify the grade of SMEs deemed suitable for the project. NIUA will then invite proposals that include comprehensive timelines and other relevant details. After evaluating the submitted proposals, NIUA	NIUA will issue a detailed scope of work, containing specific timelines for completion of work, to the specific grade of SMEs deemed suitable for the project. NIUA will then invite proposals containing work samples and other relevant details. After evaluating the submitted proposals, NIUA will award

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			will award the contract selected proposal after detailed evaluation.	the contract to the selected candidates after a detailed evaluation.
9.	Section 15 Payment Terms	NA	Additional Clause	<p>SMEs selected for empanelment must submit their PAN and GST certificate.</p> <p>(If GST certificate is not applicable, then SME's must submit the declaration regarding the non-applicability of GST certificate.)</p> <p>This clause applies to all candidates, including freelancers and those employed by organizations or institutions. Employed candidates must provide a No Objection Certificate (NoC) along with their GSTIN or a declaration, as applicable."</p>

Responses to Other Pre-Bid Queries

S No	Query	RFP Clause	Clarification
1.	Will there be any RFP phase, or the candidates shall be selected on the basis of responses received from this EoI	General	As per REOI, Cause 9
2.	Can an expert apply to be a Subject Matter Expert in multiple domains? Does it have to be a single application or multiple applications?	General	Yes, a single applicant can apply in more than one domain. However, the candidate is required to submit a single CV, along with a work specimen of all the relevant domains where the candidate wishes to apply.
3.	Is there any additional weightage for candidates who have previously worked on NULP project/ created course on NULP or understands the NULP LMS system?	General	As per REOI, Clause 9
4.	Section 1 Letter of Invitation, 10	General	Last day of submission of proposal is 30 October 2024