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NOTICE INVITING BUDGETARY INQUIRY

As per the Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) entered between Union Territory of Lakshadweep Administration (UTLA) and Cochin Port Authority (CoPA), UTLA has engaged Cochin Port for executing all the port and harbour projects.

In this regard, Cochin Port Authority is in the process of undertaking various Port led developmental activities in all inhabitable islands of Lakshadweep for which Cochin Port proposes to obtain 'Environmental,CRZ & IIMP Clearances' for the Construction of various Marine Infrastructures like Jetties, Slipways, Channel Deepening etc.. Accordingly, CoPA proposes to avail the services of an Accredited Consultant of MoEF&CC for assisting the Port in obtaining the said clearances. At present DPRs of projects in 3 islands viz., Androth, Kalpeni and Kadmath have been submitted to the Ministry of Ports, Shipping & Waterways (MoPS&W) and DPRs of projects in islands Kiltan and Chetlat are being submitted to MoPS&W. The DPRs of other islands are under preparation.

The draft Terms of Reference (ToR) prepared generally based on the EIA Guidelines of Ports & Harbours published by MoEF&CC for the Consultancy Assignment is attached as **Annexure II.** The draft ToR may be reviewed and any modifications required for carrying out the Assignment to obtain Environmental, CRZ & IIMP Clearances for the projects from LCZMA/ MoEF&CC may please be offered.

In order to arrive an estimated cost for inviting competitive Bids for obtaining 'Environmental, CRZ & IIMP Clearances', CoPA propose to invite budgetary offers from MoEF&CC accredited consultants. The project information of the above 5 islands is attached as *Annexure-I*. Therefore, Bidders are requested to submit the Budgetary rates for obtaining 'Environmental, CRZ & IIMP Clearances' for the above five islands as per the *Annexure-III* attached and may be sent to the undersigned at the address given above so as to reach us on or before 29-01-2024 at 17:00 hrs. The rates offered shall consider all the statutory / mandatory recoveries such as initial security deposit of 5%, retention amount of 5% from bills, income tax etc. excluding GST and GST will be paid extra.

The Bidders may note that the rates are invited only for budgetary purpose. Cochin Port is not bound to award the work to any Bidder based on the budgetary rates submitted. Cochin Port Authority will not be liable for any financial obligation to the Bidders in connection with the preparation of the budgetary rates.

Encl.: Annexures – I, II & II

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