



INFORMATION AND COMMUNICATION TECHNOLOGY AGENCY OF SRI LANKA

Assignment Name: Defining Interoperability Standards in the Agriculture Domain

Contract Number: ICTA/GOSL/CON/CQS/2017/13

REQUEST FOR EXPRESSIONS OF INTEREST

Information and Communication Technology Agency of Sri Lanka (ICTA) has launched Lanka Interoperability Framework (LIFe) to acts as a guide for government organizations in developing ICT systems that facilitate exchange of data and information in a consistent and standardized manner. Implementing LIFe standards would not only avoid errors in data in information systems but also provide significant cost savings for government organizations by reducing duplication and increasing collaboration. To date LIFe standards have been developed for Personal, Vehicular, Development projects coordination and Land domains. ICTA now intends to develop interoperability standards in the Agriculture domain with the involvement of all the ministries, departments and agencies in the agriculture sector.

To implement LIFe standards in the agriculture domain, ICTA now invites Expressions of Interest (EOIs) from intended eligible and experienced firms to indicate their interest in providing the services. EOI must include requested information as specified in the "EOI Information Form" along with documentary evidence in support of core business and years in business, Financial, Business and Administrative strength/standing, qualifications in the field of assignment, experience in carrying out assignments of a similar nature and complexity, technical and managerial organization of the firm, technical capabilities and appropriate skills of key staff of the organization and other relevant information.

The "Terms of Reference" and "EOI Information Form" documents are now available at ICTA for further information. Interested parties may download these documents from the website <https://www.icta.lk/procurement/> Firm will be selected in accordance with the procedures set out in the Government Guidelines: Selection & Employment of Consultants following selection on consultant qualification (CQS) method. All interested parties are informed that all documentations shall be in English Language.

Interested parties may obtain further information from the Procurement Unit of the ICTA by contacting via Phone: +94 11 2369099, Fax: +94 11 2369091 and -email: procurement@icta.lk.

Expressions of Interest including all requested information must be delivered no later than **1500 hrs on May 02, 2017** either: (i) electronically to; procurement@icta.lk or (ii) hand delivered or (iii) by post to the address; Director Procurement, C/o, Managing Director/Chief Executive Officer, ICTA, 2nd Floor, 160/24, Kirimandala Mawatha, Colombo 05, Sri Lanka.

Envelope containing the Expressions of Interest and subject field of e-mail should be marked "**Defining Interoperability Standards for Agriculture Domain**" (ICTA/GOSL/CON/CQS/2017/13)

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