

EXPRESSION OF INTEREST (EOI)
(TWO STAGE BID)
For Domain Experts
for
Capacity Building Program
Proposals invited by

INDIAN PORT RAIL & ROPEWAY CORPORATION LIMITED (IPRCL)

4TH Floor, Nirman Bhavan, Mumbai Port Trust Building, Mazgaon (East),
Mumbai-400010, India.

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Important Information of the EOI

Sl No	Particular	Date & Time / Details
1	Name of the Assignment	Expression of Interest (EOI) for Selection of Training Partners.
2	Date of Publication of EOI on IPRCL website: www.iprcl.in TENDER-OFFLINE TENDER	11.08.2026
3	Last Date & Time for Submission of Queries / Clarification (Email: tenders@iprcl.in)	21.08.2026 by 3:00 PM
4	Response to Queries / Clarifications and invitation of RFP to be published on IPRCL website: www.iprcl.in TENDER-OFFLINE TENDER.	26.08.2026 by 5:00 PM
5	Last Date & Time for Submission of Technical Bid by Speed Post / Registered Post / Courier / by Hand/ or by e-mail: tenders@iprcl.in)	02.09.2026 by 3.00 PM
6	Technical Bid Submission Place	By Speed Post / Registered Post / Courier / By hand: To, Chief General Manager (HR) 4 TH Floor, Nirman Bhavan, Mumbai Port Trust Building, Mazgaon (East), Mumbai-400010, India. Or By e-mail on: tenders@iprcl.in
7	Technical Bid Opening Place	IPRCL Office, Mumbai
8	Date & time of opening of Technical Bid.	02.09.2026 at 4:30 PM
9	Period of Contract	One (1) year may be extended further as per requirement.

Note: At any time prior to the deadline for submission of EOI, IPRCL may issue Corrigendum, Addendum or Clarification through its website only (www.iprcl.in) only.

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Chief General Manager (HR)

Indian Port Rail & Ropeway Corporation Limited

DISCLAIMER

1. All information contained in this EOI and subsequently provided is in good faith. This EOI is not an agreement or an offer by IPRCL to the prospective applicants. The purpose of this EOI is to provide information to interested parties that may be useful to them in formulating and submitting their applications.
2. IPRCL accepts no liability of any nature, whether resulting from negligence or otherwise, howsoever caused, arising from reliance by any applicant upon the statements contained in this EOI.
3. IPRCL may, in its absolute discretion but without being under any obligation to do so, update, amend or supplement the information, assessment or assumption contained in this EOI without assigning any reason or providing any notice and without accepting any liability for the same.
4. The issue of this EOI does not imply that IPRCL is bound to select an applicant or to appoint the selected applicant as the case may be. IPRCL reserves the right to cancel this EOI and/or invite a fresh EOI with or without amendments, without liability or obligation, and without assigning any reason. Information provided at this stage is merely indicative.

1. Introduction:

Indian Port Rail & Ropeway Corporation Limited (IPRCL) is a Company under the Ministry of Ports, Shipping and Waterways (MoPSW), Govt. of India intends to do Capacity Building Program to Youths. EOI is invited through this notice by IPRCL for shortlisting agencies who have the requisite experience in providing their technical expertise for Professional support and Advisory services in the field of Capacity Building as Domain Expert.

IPRCL is now seeking a professional Agency as Training Partner who have the requisite experience in providing their technical expertise for providing Professional support and Advisory services in the field of Skill Development/ Capacity Building program.

Through this EOI, agencies who can be trusted to deliver services at desired level of quality will be shortlisted based on the eligibility criteria. Bidders are not required to submit the Earnest Money Deposit (EMD) at this stage. Thereafter, Financial bids will be invited from shortlisted agencies by IPRCL with EMD. Interested parties may download document from IPRCL website ([www.iprcl.in/Tender/Offline Tender](http://www.iprcl.in/Tender/OfflineTender)). Bidders to frequently visit IPRCL website for any related updates regarding Corrigendum/Addendum etc.

2. Objectives:

- Establish a state-level, industry-driven advanced training ecosystem for advanced and future-ready skills.
- Create a transparent, meritocratic ecosystem for Training Partners (TPs) from industry and academia partners as per the eligibility of TPs.
- Ensure all training leads to assessment and certification and to the possible extent support in placement.
- Facilitate Skilling interventions for Men and Women from Minority communities in the various States including Bihar, Jharkhand and Uttar Pradesh.
- Build a Technology-First, DBT-enabled, Aadhaar-seeded trainee enrolment and biometric attendance, Face recognised geo-fenced training ecosystem with online monitoring and certification.
- Arranging Training Centers as per NSDC Guidelines.

3. Training Modalities

The Training Partners will deliver training modalities as under:

S.No.	Modality	Description
1	Residential Training Program	Full-time training program with structured boarding and lodging facilities in the Various States including of Bihar, Jharkhand and Uttar Pradesh along with separate Training Classrooms/ Training Center in different States.

4. Scope of Work:

- 1.Residential training of Welding Technician (Oil & Gas / Shipbuilding / Railways) for Minorities Candidates (Muslims, Sikhs, Jains, Buddhists, Zoroastrians and Christians) in the State of Bihar, Jharkhand and Uttar Pradesh.
- 2.Residential training of IT Technical Support Executive for Minorities Candidates (Muslims, Sikhs, Jains Buddhists, Zoroastrians and Christians) in the State of Bihar, Jharkhand and Uttar Pradesh.

5. Beneficiary Categories:

Skill Development Training is open to the following beneficiary categories.

- Unemployed Youth (Age 14 to 45, as per job-role entry qualification) from Minority Communities
- Unemployed Women (Age 14 to 45), as per job-role entry qualification) from Minority Communities

6. Educational Qualification for Trainees: As prescribed by NSQF.

7. Categories of Eligible Training Partners

The following types of Organizations are eligible to apply for shortlisting of Training Partners. A Training Partner shall mean any of the following entities registered under applicable relevant Acts:

S. No.	Training Partner Category	Description
1	Industries / Companies/Oranizations	Public or Private Limited Companies incorporated under the Companies Act, 2013, Limited Liability Partnerships (LLPs) registered under the Limited Liability Partnership Act, 2008, Partnership Firms /Proprietor Firms registered under the Indian Partnership Act, 1932/ Govt Departments/ PSUs / Universities/ Colleges / Training Institutes/ Societies registered under the Societies Registration Act, 1860 and any other industrial or service entity registered under the applicable laws in force and engaged in production of goods or provision of services in the relevant skill sector.

8. Eligibility Criteria

8.1 Legal and Operational Eligibility

- The applicant organization must be registered under an applicable law (Companies Act, Societies Registration Act, Trust Act, LLP Act, Partnership Act, Sole Proprietorship). Registration must be current and valid.
- The applicant must have a Permanent Account Number (PAN).
- The applicant must have Goods and Service Tax (GST certificate).
- The applicant must not be blacklisted or debarred by any Central or State Government agency, any Board, any Skill Council, or any bilateral / multilateral financing institution at the time of application.
- The applicant must have a clean track record with respect to tax compliance, financial obligations, and statutory compliance. Declaration to this effect is mandatory (see Annexure 3).

8.2 Technical / Sector Eligibility

- The training program(s) proposed must be designed to deliver NSQF-aligned outcomes.
- The applicant must specify, at the time of EOI submission, the NSQF Level(s), Job roles (s), sector, and training modality (Residential) for which application for EOI is submitted.
- Prior experience of conducting successful similar Training program under Govt of India

schemes to at least 1000 candidates and amount not less than Rs 5.0 crore by the sole bidder or any one member in case of a Joint venture.

- Organization must have experience of training minimum 1000 minority candidates.
- Organization must be NSDC partner with experience of running 20 PMKKs.
- Joint ventures shall be permitted.
- Organizations having similar experience in Bihar, Jharkhand and Uttar Pradesh for at least 5 years will be given preference.

8.3. Other Eligibility Criteria

Interested agencies should satisfy the following:

1. Must be Legally registered organizations.
2. Experience in skill development training.
3. Similar work experience.
4. Financial capability as prescribed.
5. Submission of all supporting documents.

8.4 Financial Eligibility Criteria

1. The applicant shall have Average Annual Turnover during the last 3 consecutive financial years (FY 2022-23, 2023-24 & 2024-25) should be 3 Crores or more.
2. Must be a profit-making organization in last 3 years (FY 2022-23, 2023-24 & 2024-25).

9. Infrastructure Requirements

The Training Partner shall ensure that each training centre proposed under this EOI meets the following minimum infrastructure standards:

Requirement	Standards
Training Space (As per Job Role)	Minimum 300 sq. ft. of dedicated classroom space is required, while the lab space should be as per the requirements of the respective job role. All basic amenities, safety measures, and hazard compliance requirements must be ensured.
Equipment & Machinery	Sector and job-role appropriate training equipment compliant to the NSQF.
Biometric System	Mandatory installation of Geo-fenced, Face Recognition-based biometric attendance hardware and software (to be integrated with the IPRCL or organization prescribed by IPRCL).
Video Monitoring	CCTV installations across the training infrastructure across premises to integrate and provide video feeds for training operations monitoring. Integration with the IPRCL / Organization prescribed by IPRCL is mandatory. 90 days video feed is to be stored at Training site.
Internet Connectivity	Broadband internet connectivity (minimum 10 Mbps) for MIS upload, biometric attendance and beneficiary registration.

Trainer / Faculty Credentials	Details of all the Certified trainers / faculties for respective trade, holding qualifications equivalent to the NSQF Level of the course are to be submitted and to be deployed. ToT-certified trainers are preferred. In case where existing employees of any Industry are proposed as Faculty and Subject-Matter Experts, the same shall be subject to approval of Committee.
Sanitation & Accessibility	Clean, hygienic and separate sanitation facilities for male and female trainees shall be available and ensured. Ramp / accessible entry for Person-with-Disabilities (PwD) trainees wherever feasible.
Safety Norms	Compliance to Government's fire safety, emergency response and relevant Regulations shall be ensured and complied with.

10. Documents Required

The following documents must be attached with Technical bid at the time of submission. See Annexure 1 for the complete checklist with file format and size specifications.

Section	Documents / Details Required
A. Legal and Registration Documents	Certificate of Registration / Incorporation (under Companies Act / Societies Act / Trust Deed / LLP Act / Partnership Act, Sole Proprietorship, as applicable)
	GST Registration Certificate (if applicable)
	PAN Card of the Organisation
B. Financial Documents	CA certified report of last 3 Financial years (2022-23, 2023-24 & 2024-25)
	ITR of last 3 Financial years (2022-23, 2023-24 & 2024-25)
C. Self-Declaration (Annexure-3)	Signed declaration that the organisation is not blacklisted / debarred by any Government authority

Annexure 1 – Document Check List

A. Legal & Registration

Document	Format	Max File Size
Certificate of Incorporation / Registration	PDF	Max 5 MB
PAN Card of Organisation	PDF / JPEG	Max 2 MB
GST Registration Certificate	PDF	Max 2 MB

B. Financial

Document	Format	Max File Size
CA Certificate of last 3 financial years (2022-23, 2023-24 & 2024-25)	PDF	Max 5 MB
ITR of last 3 Financial years (2022-23, 2023-24 & 2024-25)	PDF	Max 5 MB

C. Declaration (Annexure 2)

Document	Format	Max File Size
Signed Declaration / Undertaking (Annexure 2)	PDF (scanned signed copy)	Max 3 MB

Annexure 2 – Declaration

(To be submitted on the official letterhead of the applicant organisation, signed by the Authorised Signatory)

To,
The Chief General Manager (HR)
IPRCL, Mumbai

Subject: Declaration / Undertaking for Application shortlisting of Training Partner.

I/We, (Name of Authorised Signatory), _____ (Designation), on behalf of
_____ (Name of Organisation), hereby solemnly
declare and undertake as follows:

1. The organisation is duly registered under the laws of India and all registration documents submitted with this application are authentic, current and valid.
2. The organisation has not been blacklisted, debarred, or declared ineligible by any Central Government, State Government, Board, Council, Sector Skill Council, or bilateral/multilateral financing institution as on the date of this application.
3. The organisation has no overdue statutory dues, including Income Tax, GST, PF, ESIC, or any other statutory obligation as on the date of this application.
4. All information, documents and data submitted in this Expression of Interest application are true, accurate and complete to the best of my/our knowledge. I/We understand that any misrepresentation will result in immediate rejection of the application.
5. The organisation will comply with all terms and conditions of this EOI document, and all instructions, SOPs and guidelines issued by IPRCL/ MSDE / MoMA from time to time.
6. The organisation will install and maintain Geo-fenced, Face Recognition-based biometric attendance hardware and CCTV/video monitoring, and will integrate all training activities with the IPRCL-MIS platform.
7. The organization is a Partner with NSDC with experience of running 20 PMKKs..
8. The organisation will not sub-contract any training activity.
9. The organisation will not collect any fee from trainees.
10. The organisation accepts that the IPRCL / MSDE / MoMA shall have the right to conduct surprise inspections at any time and to access all records, documents, training data and financial accounts related to Training under PM VIKAS Scheme funded by MoMA.
11. The organisation possess a thorough understanding of the local language of Bihar, Jharkhand and Uttar Pradesh ensuring our proficient communication with the people and authorities.
12. The organisation have full control over the submitted training center/hostel building 24/7.
The organization facilitate visits by IPRCL officials at any time without any restriction.
13. The organisation accepts the exclusive jurisdiction of Courts at Mumbai, Maharashtra for any disputes arising from this application.

Dated: _____ at _____

Authorised Signatory Name: _____ Designation: _____ Date: _____	Organisation Seal (Affix Seal Here)
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Witness 1: Name: _____ Signature: _____ Date: _____

Witness 2: Name: _____ Signature: _____ Date: _____

Annexure 3: Undertaking

(Undertaking by Company Secretary/ Authorized Representative / Signatory on Letter head with Sign and Seal)

Undertaking

We, (Name of Applicant) having its registered office at (Office address) do hereby declare that the (Name of Applicant) has not been blacklisted/ debarred by any State Government/ Central Government or organizations of State Government / Central Government.

For and on behalf of:

Signature:

Name:

Designation:

(Seal):

(Authorized Representative and

Signatory): Date: