

Sri Lanka Railways
REQUEST FOR EXPRESSIONS OF INTEREST
for

**Investigation, preliminary design & preparation of BOQ, Cost estimate
and bidding document for construction of Railway double Line from
Polgahawela to Kurunagala.**

The Sri Lanka Railways intends to prepare the bidding document for construction of double line from Polgahawela to Kurunagala which will be approximately 22 kilometers in length. The proposed double line is travelling along with existing Polgahawela – Kurunagala Railway line. There are one crossing station and three substations in between Polgahawela and Kurunagalain stations. 08 Nos. bridges and 79 Nos. culverts are to be constructed parallel to existing bridges and culverts. There are 19 Nos. Level Crossing protection systems are to be provided for all Level Crossings. The consultant should provide the Investigation & preliminary design details, BOQ, Cost estimate and the bidding document to the Sri Lanka Railways.

Double tracking from Polgahawela to Kurunagala will help to enhance traffic handling capacity of Northern & Eastern lines. Effective Railway lines would encourage road users to actively use railway; which expected to see an overall reduction in fuel usage, less emission of toxics gases polluting the environment, saving of time from traffic jams, noise pollution etc. .

The Ministry Consultancy Procurement Committee ,Ministry of Transport & Civil Aviation intends to invite Expressions of Interest (EOIs) from eligible consultants (firms) that are willing to undertake this assignment. 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, Technical, 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, Available equipment of the organization and other relevant information.

The “Description of the Project” and “EOI Information Form” documents are now available with Superintendent of Railway Stores, Railway Stores Department, P.O.Box 1347,Olcott Mawatha,Colombo-10, Sril Lanka for further information. Interested parties may download these documents from the website www.transport.gov.lk and www.railway.gov.lk.

Consultants (firms) will be selected in accordance with the procedures set out in the Government Procurement Guidelines: Selection & Employment of consultants. All interested parties are informed that all documentations shall be in English Language.

Expressions of Interest including all requested information must be hand delivered to the address; The Secretary, C/o.Chief Accountant's Office, Ministry of Transport and Civil Aviation, Seventh Floor, Stage II, 'Sethsiripaya' Battaramulla on or before 19th June 2017.

**ENVELOPE CONTAINING THE EXPRESSIONS OF INTEREST SHOULD BE MARKED “EOI FOR
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The Chairman
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Ministry of Transport and Civil Aviation,
Seventh Floor, Stage II, 'Sethsiripaya' Battaramulla,
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