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Directorate of Industries
Kavaratti-682555

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NOTICE

We invite expression of interest (EOI) from local Person / Entrepreneurs / Firms, who are resident of Lakshadweep, having Technical & Financial capabilities and experience to run our Fibre Factory and Coir Yarn Production Unit at Chetlat island on Public Private Partnership (PPP) Model on 'As is where is' condition. For more details, please visit our website www.lakshadweep.gov.in. Your expression of interest (EOI) should reach the undersigned on or before 15th September, 2018.

(Sachin Sharma, IPS)
Director of Industries



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**INVITATION FOR EXPRESSION OF INTEREST (EOI) FOR RUNNING/
OPERATION OF FIBRE FACTORY AND COIR PRODUCTION CENTRE AT
CHETLAT**

Department of Industries, Union Territory of Lakshadweep, Kavaratti invites Expression of Interest (EOI) from the local Persons/Entrepreneurs/Firms of Union Territory of Lakshadweep for running/ operation of a Fibre Factory and a Coir Production centre at Chetlat Island, Lakshadweep and to submit willingness and scope of work at the proposed site.

1. Back Ground : - The Union Territory of Lakshadweep comprises of a group of islands in the Arabian Sea between 8° and 12° - 30' north latitude and between 71° and 74° east longitude at a distance ranging from 200 Kms (111 Nautical Miles) to 400 Kms (222 Nautical Miles) from mainland. There are in all 27 islands and a number of Sunken banks, open Reefs and Sand Banks. Only 10 islands are inhabited. Other islands are small and exist as Satellites of the inhabited islands. The total population according 2011 Census is 64,429 only.

2 Name of the Head Quarter :- Kavaratti Island

3. Name of the island to run Fibre factory and Coir Production Centre - Chetlat island

Distance by sea to Chetlat.

Chetlat	-	Kochi 432 Km
Chetlat	-	Calicut 330 Km
Chetlat	-	Mangalore 269 Km

Depending upon the voyage schedule of the ship, one can travel by ship from Kochi/ Calicut/ Mangalore to Chetlat. During the fair season one can also travel by high speed vessel from Androth/ Kavaratti to Chetlat where connecting speed vessels will be available to reach Chetlat Island.

4. Area, Population and Coconut Production of Chetlat

Land Area : 1.4 sqKm

Population : 2289

As per the Basic Statistics 2014 Coconut harvested during 2010-2011 at Chetlat were 27.49. lakhs

5. Project Proposal:-

The Fibre Factory, Chetlat is ready for starting functioning. The Coir Yarn Production Centre (CPC) is also ready and need to function along with Fibre factory. The Department of Industries intends to run both Fibre factory and Coir Yarns Production centre at Chetlat under Public Private Partnership (PPP) mode. The Fibre factory building is situated in the land area of 2710 Sq mt at the Sothern end of the Chetlat Island. The following 4 (Four) Coir Processing Machines are available for the production of Coir Fibre. All these 4 (Four) machines are in good working condition.

Sl. No	Name of the Machines	Capacity of Motor
1	Crushing Machine	5 HP
2	Decorticating Machine	20 HP
3.	Bailing Press	3 HP
4	Bursting Machine	15 HP

Necessary Soaking Tanks, Drying yard and Well etc are also available in the premises of the Fibre factory building.

Coir Yarn twisting Unit (CPC) is situated in separate building just 1 km away from the Fibre Factory. One Willowing Machine and 8 Motorised Ratts are available in the Coir yarn Production centre.

6. EOI Submission and Dead line:-

Submission should be clearly super scribed as EOI for running the Fibre factory and Coir Yarn Production Centre at Chetlat and submitted to the address given below on or before **15th September,2018.**

The Director
Department of Industries
Union Territory of Lakshadweep
Kavaratti - 682 555

7. Expectation from EOI Partners:-

- a. To inspect and take stock of existing facilities, plant, Machinery. Entry Permit will be arranged by Industries Department, if needed.
- b. To make Plan for running (Technical Plan & Financial Plan) and marketing the products.
- c. The Help and support that you will require from Industries Department U.T. of Lakshadweep.
- d. Any other relevant details.

- e. Details to prove (Experience) in related filed (ii) Financial Capacity (iii) Technical Capacity.

EOI will be evaluated and short listed based on the relevant experience and capacity to undertake the project successfully. A Pre-Bid conference will be arranged to scrutinize and evaluate the proposal, if found necessary.

Depending on the interest received at EOI stage, Department of Industries, UT of Lakshadweep reserves the right to either enter into direct negotiation or issue RFP or go for Tender.

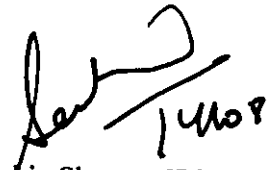
8. Your EOI Should Contain:-

- a. A write -up about you/ Your firm.
- b. Documentary Evidence to prove the authenticity of entrepreneur/ firm.
- c. List of infra structure facilities owned by the bidder.
- d. Details of available technical manpower.
- e. Details of similar works undertaken by you/ your firm and the name & the contact details of clients for whom such works undertaken.
- f. Technical & Financial Plan to run the both Fibre Factory & Coir Yarn twisting Centre.
- g. Plan for marketing the products.
- h. Another relevant details.

9. Disclaimer:-

This request for EOI should not be construed as a commitment by the Department of Industries UT of Lakshadweep to contract with any particular proponent. Any cost, work or effort undertaken during the tendering process is a commercial judgement for the proponent and is at the proponent's own risk and expense. Department of Industries will not be liable for any cost incurred by any of the proponents. Department of Industries reserves the right to change any aspects of this request for EOI and /or issue supplementary documentation at any time during the Tendering process. The Department of Industries also reserves the right not to accept any EOIs and to terminate the tendering process without awarding the contract.

This has the approval of Hon'ble Administrator, UTL vide Diary No.1451 Dated 18.07.2018


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Copy to :- Director, Information & Public Relation Office, Kavaratti to publish in the next edition.